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SUBJ: TERRORISM: DUTCH TERRORIST NET

REFS: (A) THE HAGUE 5376, (B) NEW DELHI 14462

1. THE GOVERNMENT PRESS OFFICE ISSUED THE FOLLOWING BULLETIN
ON SEPT29 REGARDING THE ARREST OF LUDVILLA JANSSEN.

2. BEGIN TEXT: A ROUTINE SECURITY CHECK AT BEN-GURION AIRPORT
HAS GIVEN RISE TO SUSPICIONS ABOUT A YOUNG WOMAN OF FOREIGN
IDENTITY, WHO ARRIVED HERE IN TRANSIT ON 24 SEPT 1976, THE EVE
OF ROSH HASHANA. THE YOUNG WOMAN, LUDVILLA JANSSEN, OF DUTCH
CITIZENSHIP, WAS DETAINED FOR QUESTIONING. MS JANSSEN TOLD HER
INTERROGATORS THAT SHE IS A MEMBER OF THE POPULAR FRONT FOR THE
LIBERATION OF PALESTINE (HEADED BY GEORGE HABASH), AND
THAT SHE HAD UNDERGONE TRAINING WITH A GROUP OF 15 YOUNG
PEOPLE OF DUTCH AND OTHER ORIGIN, AT A TRAINING CAMP OF THE
'FRONT', IN ADEN. THE TRAINING SHE RECEIVED INCLUDES THE USE
OF WEAPONS AND AMMUNITION.

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3. THE YOUNG WOMAN IS COOPERATING FULLY WITH HER INTERROGATORS, WHOM SHE TOLD ABOUT THE GROUP OF WHICH SHE IS A MEMBER--ITS ACTIVITIES, AND THE IDENTITY OF ITS MEMBERS. THE PURPOSE OF HER TRIP WAS TO CARRY OUT A MISSION ON BEHALF OF THE 'FRONT'. AT BEN GURION AIRPORT, AND ANOTHER AIMED AT VARIOUS AIRLINES.

4. FOLLOWING THE INTERROGATION, EXTRA SECURITY MEASURES WERE TAKEN AT THE AIRPORT--SOME OF WHICH COME IN THE WAKE OF THE INFORMATION RENDERED BY THE DUTCH WOMAN. THE ISRAEL POLICE HAVE TRANSFERRED THE INFORMATION ON THE IDENTITY OF THE DUTCH MEMBERS OF THE GROUP TO AUTHORITIES IN THE NETHERLANDS. THE YOUNG WOMAN IS BEING DETAINED FOR 15 DAYS FOR THE CONTINUATION OF THE INVESTIGATION. SHE IS 23 YEARS OF AGE. END TEXT.

5. LOCAL PAPERS HAVE ALL GIVEN PROMINENT COVERAGE TO THE STORY. MOST THEM ADDED THAT MARIUS NIEUWBURG WAS ARRESTED IN BOMBAY ON MONDAY AND THAT A NUMBER OF POLICE RAIDS WERE CARRIED OUT IN THE NETHERLANDS.

6. THE DCM OF THE DUTCH EMBASSY HAS TOLD US THAT HE HAS LITTLE ADDITIONAL INFORMATION ON JANSSEN SINCE THE ACTION HAS BEEN CARRIED AND COORDINATED THROUGH INTERPOL CHANNELS. HE SAID AN EMBASSY OFFICER HAS PAID A CONSULAR VISIT TO JANSSEN BUT WAS UNABLE TO OBTAIN ANY ADDITIONAL INFORMATION FROM HER.
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